

1 Abstract of the Disclosure.

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3 A laminated deck for a skateboard comprises a plurality of
4 layers of graphite cloth alternating with a plurality of layers of
5 a laminating resin. The deck is formed after treating the layers
6 of material for between one-half hour to six hours under a vacuum
7 at a temperature ranging from ambient temperature to 600 degrees F,
8 depending upon the manufacturing process, whether using a hand
9 layup process, or multiple layers of graphite cloth containing a
10 laminating resin ("pre-preg" material). An additional lower layer
11 of fiberglass, which can become the deck bottom, may be used in
12 both processes. The laminated skateboard deck has properties that
13 are at least comparable to those of wooden skateboard decks.